1 JOHN G. PETERSON Peterson & Brynan 2 8530 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 407 Beverly Hills, California 3 (213) 659-9965 4 Attorneys for Cross-Defendant CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY OF CALIFORNIA 5 6 7 8 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA 9 COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES 10 CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY No. C 420 153 11 OF CALIFORNIA, a California corporation, RESPONSES OF CROSS-DEFENDANT 12 CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY OF CALIFORNIA TO REQUEST FOR Plaintiff, 13 PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS PROPOUNDED BY CROSS-COMPLAINANT VS. 14 GERALD ARMSTRONG GERALD ARMSTRONG. 15 Defendant. 16 17 GERALD ARMSTRONG, 18 Cross-complainant, 19 VS. 20 CHURCH OF SCIENTOLOGY OF CALIFORNIA, et al., 21 Cross-defendants. 22 23 Defendant Church of Scientology of California responds to 24 the request for production of documents by cross-complainant, 25 Gerald Armstrong, as follows: 26 RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 1: Objection. The documents sought 27 are covered by the priest-penitent privilege, Evidence Code 28

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Sections 1033 and 1034. Additionally, the request seeks to interfere in the internal affairs of a religious organization, thus the documents sought are protected by the First Amendment; and because these files contain personal notes and observations of ministers of the Church, their disclosure would constitute an invasion of privacy.

2. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 2:

Objection. The information requested is protected by the attorney work-product doctrine and the attorney-client privilege.

3. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 3:

Objection. The information requested is protected by the attorney work-product doctrine and the attorney-client privilege.

4. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 4:

Objection. This request is vague, ambiguous and overbroad in that "mission orders" is not defined and there is no time period specified in the request. However, without waiving these objections, cross-defendant has searched its records, files, archives and storage areas, and has located no such documents.

5. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 5:

Objection. This request is vague, ambiguous, irrelevant and not calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. The term "mission orders" is not defined and information relating to Howard Schomer has no bearing on any claims or defenses in this case. However, without waiving these objections, cross-defendant has searched its records, files, archives and storage areas, and has located no such documents.

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6. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 6:

Objection. This request is overbroad and to a large extent requests material which seeks to invade the internal workings of a religious organization which is protected by the First Amendment and seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege and the attorney work-product doctrine.

7. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 7:

Objection. This request is overbroad and to a large extent requests material which seeks to invade the internal workings of a religious organization which is protected by the Fîrst Amendment and seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege and the attorney work-product doctrine.

8. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 8:

Objection. This request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad and burdensome in that it does not specify a time period, and does not specify which Church of Scientology or which publications are requested. However, without waiving the above objections, cross-defendant is in the process of conducting an exhaustive search of its files. No such documents have yet been located. If such documents are located, they will promptly be provided to attorney for cross-complainant.

9. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 9:

Objection. This request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad and burdensome in that it does not specify a time period, and does not specify which Church of Scientology or which publications are requested. However, without waiving the above objections

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### 10. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 10:

Objection. This request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad and burdensome in that it does not specify a time period, and does not specify which Church of Scientology or which publications are requested. However, without waiving these objections, cross-defendant is in the process of conducting an exhaustive search of its files. No such documents have yet been located. If such documents are located, they will promptly be provided to the attorney for cross-complainant.

# 11. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 11:

Objection. This request seeks information protected by the attorney work-product doctrine.

## 12. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 12:

Objection. This request seeks information protected by the attorney work-product doctrine and attorney-client privilege, and seeks information not calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence.

# 13. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 13:

Objection. This request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, burdensome and seeks information not calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. In addition, the request violates the attorney work-product rule and the attorney-client privilege.

14. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 14:

This information is being compiled and will be provided to the attorney for cross-complainant for inspection and copying.

15. RESPONSE TO REQUEST NO. 15:

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Dated: August 23, 1984

Law Offices of PETERSON AND BRYNAN

By:

JOHN G. PETERSON

Attorney for Cross-Defendant Church of Scientology of California

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